



General Assembly

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**Proposed Bill No. 5089**

LCO No. 706

Referred to Committee on Human Services

Introduced by:

REP. TRUGLIA, 145th Dist.

**AN ACT CONCERNING HOSPICE SERVICES UNDER THE MEDICAID PROGRAM.**

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 That section 17b-28e of the 2008 supplement to the general statutes
- 2 be amended to require the Commissioner of Social Services to amend
- 3 the Medicaid state plan to include hospice services as optional services
- 4 under the Medicaid program.

**Statement of Purpose:**

To include hospice services under the Medicaid program to provide Medicaid patients with the right to end life with respect and dignity.